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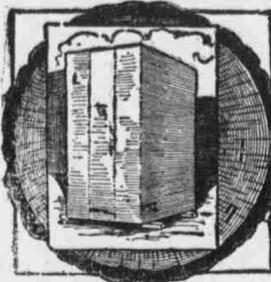
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Curious Recipes That Were in Use in the Fifteenth Century.

An old volume, the "Noble Boke of Cookry, for a Prynce Houssolde or any other Estately Houssolde," written about the year 1467, contains many rare and curious recipes in use in those days not only for ordinary dishes, but those to be eaten on fast and fish days. It is curious in reading this cookery book to find that there are the same birds, beasts and fishes, the same courses and sometimes the same names to dishes as in a modern one, but, although the names are often the same, the ingredients and the preparation are very different. For instance, their "blanche mange" was composed of lamprey or other fish, and their custards contained fresh pork minced small.

Here is one recipe from the book: "To make mon amy take and boil cows' cream and when it is boiled set it aside and let it cool. Then take cow curds and press out the whey; then bruise them in a mortar and cast them in the pot to the cream and boil together. Put thereto sugar, honey and may butter, color it up with saffron and in the setting down put in yolks of eggs well beaten and do away the strain and let the potage be standing; then arrange it in dishes and plant therein flowers of violets and serve it."

Some of the recipes in this quaint old book were intended specially for a "lord's" table. For instance, a pike was to be served whole to "a lordie," but cut in pieces for the "commonalte." Cabbages were to be thickened with grated bread for ordinary people, but served with yolks of eggs for a "lordie." The dishes at this time used at table were either gold or silver for great occasions and wooden trenchers and platters for ordinary use. It was not till the time of Queen Elizabeth that plates of metal and earthenware began to be generally used instead.

WILLS IN ENGLAND.

Interesting Documents That Are on File in Somerset House.

In the heart of London, facing on one side the famous thoroughfare known as the Strand and on the other looking on the Thames, will be found Somerset House, once a private palace, but now devoted to various departments of the inland revenue of Great Britain.

Perhaps the most interesting government department in Somerset House is that devoted to the filing of wills, and, as might be supposed, the collection is immense, varied and extraordinary, ranging from the will of Shakespeare himself (containing practically the only known autograph of the world renowned poet) right down to mere curiosities in wills, such as those carved on the lid of a desk or contained within secret cabinets or escritores.

Here for 25 cents one may inspect the will of any British person. There are wills leaving immense sums to cats and dogs; wills written in human blood. But the most interesting one has quite a romantic history.

It is the will of a British official who died in Cairo of the plague. Before his death he took care to prepare his will upon parchment procured from the skin of a freshly killed goat, but as he handled the skin himself it was thought later on that the will might have the power of transmitting the dreadful plague from which it was written. Accordingly, after having been passed from hand to hand with somewhat disastrous results in the way of plague and death, the will was put into a bottle of spirits. Arrived at Somerset House, the will was read to the next of kin and deposited among the archives of the department.—Kansas City Independent.

Way to Avoid Annoyance.

"I understand," he said, "that we are reported to be engaged."

"I believe some one has taken the liberty of starting such a rumor," she replied.

"Well, don't you think it would be easier to make the rumor true than to go to the trouble and annoyance of denying it?" he suggested.

"Perhaps you are right," she admitted. "Such denials are always ineffective in addition to being more or less distressing."—Chicago Post.

A Modest Briton.

Like the traditional Englishman, Arthur Stanley, dean of Westminster, wore home from his first visit to America an expression of amazement which only time could efface. He was at once beset by interviewers, says the author of "Out of the Past," who asked the usual questions.

"What was the thing which most impressed you in America?" was one of these. Without a moment's hesitation Dean Stanley replied: "My own ignorance."

A Royal Compliment.

Mgr. de Nostund, Archbishop of Toulouse, when preaching one day in the private chapel of Louis XV., lost the thread of his discourse, so that he had to remain silent for some time. The king came to his lordship's relief with this graceful remark: "I am very glad, my lord, that you are giving me a little time to digest all the good things contained in the former part of your sermon."

How She Took It.

Harry—Here is a conundrum: When is two an odd and lucky number? Celia—You know I never can guess conundrums. Harry—When two are made one. Celia—Oh, Harry! This is so sudden!—Town Topics.

Life is the finest of the fine arts. It has to be learned with lifelong patience, and the years of our pilgrimage are all too short to master it triumphantly.—Drummond.

Contest Notice

U. S. Land Office, Alliance, Neb., May 23, 1904. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John Kinzola, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 2412, made June 23, 1900, for the northeast quarter section 14, township 28, range 40 west, by Justice Howard, contestee, in which it is alleged that James Howard has abandoned said land and that said land was not due to his employment in the army or navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 11, 1904, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Alliance, Nebraska.

The contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed May 21, 1904, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

Contest Notice

U. S. Land Office, Alliance, Neb., May 23, 1904. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John Kinzola, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 2411, made June 6, 1900, for the southwest quarter section 14, township 28 north, range 40 west, by Erik H. Sellen, contestee, in which it is alleged that Erik H. Sellen has abandoned said land and that said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 11, 1904, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Alliance, Nebraska.

The contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed May 24, 1904, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

Contest Notice

U. S. Land Office, Alliance, Neb., May 23, 1904. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by George A. Feinrich, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 2775, made September 27, 1900, for the southeast quarter section 11, township 28 north, range 40 west, by Frank Watling, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Frank Watling has not done any work or made any improvements on said land as required by law and has abandoned said land and moved thereon the just past and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on August 11, 1904, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Alliance, Nebraska.

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Public Notice

In the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska.

Josie Wims, Plaintiff, vs. James Wims, Defendant. To James Wims, non-resident defendant: you are hereby notified that on the 16th day of June 1904, Josie Wims, plaintiff, filed a petition against you in the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a divorce from you on the ground that you have wilfully abandoned said plaintiff without good cause for the term of two years last past, for cruelty and for grossly, wantonly and cruelly refusing, neglecting and failing to support and maintain the plaintiff. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 25th day of July 1904. Josie Wims, Plaintiff. By William Mitchell, her Attorney. June 17-4

Sheriff's Sale

No. 1465. By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, under a decree rendered by said court in favor of Robert Anderson, Plaintiff, and against The American Loan and Trust Company, The American Investment Company, Lincoln, Nebraska, C. E. Crocker, and John Doe, defendants, I will, on the 19th day of July, A. D., 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day, at the west front door of the court house in Alliance, in said county, sell the following described real estate, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section 35, in township 28, north of range 51, west of sixth principal meridian, in Box Butte county, Nebraska, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said order of sale, in sum of \$70.00 and interest, cost and accruing costs subject to all unpaid taxes.

H. E. Gilman, Sheriff of said County. Wm. Mitchell, Attorney for Plaintiff. June 17

Sheriff's Sale

No. 1522. By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered by said court in favor of T. M. Lawler, plaintiff, and against Herbert M. Anderson, a single Anderson, wife of defendant, Herbert M. Anderson, and Daniel Hechey, defendants, I will, on the 19th day of July, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day, at the west front door of the court house in Alliance, in said county, sell the following described real estate, to-wit: Southwest quarter of section 1, township 28, north range 48 west 9th p. m. in Box Butte county, Nebraska, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said order of sale, in the sum of \$74.00 and interest, cost and accruing costs subject to all unpaid taxes.

H. E. Gilman, Sheriff of said County. Wm. Mitchell, Attorney for Plaintiff. June 16

Notice to Defendant

To L. C. Earnest, first name unknown defendant. You will take notice that on the 14th day of May 1904, The Fidelity Real Estate and Loan Co. commenced an action in the county court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, against you to recover on one promissory note, that said order of attachment was issued against you in said action under which money in the possession of the Chicago Burlington and Quincy Railroad Co. was attached by garnishment. That said cause has been continued to July 11, 1904, at which time you are required to appear and defend said action.

June 17-3 Fidelity Real Estate and Loan Co.

Public Notice

In the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska.

Edward Raney, Plaintiff, vs. Maud Raney, Defendant. To Edward Raney, non-resident defendant: you are hereby notified that on the 18th day of June 1904, plaintiff, filed a petition against you in the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a divorce from you on the ground that you have wilfully abandoned the plaintiff, without good cause, for the term of two years last past. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 25th day of July 1904.

MAUD RANEY, Plaintiff. By William Mitchell, her Attorney. June 17-4

Appointment of Administrator

State of Nebraska, ss. Box Butte County, ss.

At a county court, held at the county court room, in and for said county, June 21, A. D. 1904.

Present, D. K. Spacht, county judge.

In the matter of the estate of Michael L. Jacoby, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel W. Jacoby, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to him as administrator.

Ordered that July 9th, A. D. 1904, at 9 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, where all persons interested in said estate may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the hearing of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Lincoln Daily News, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) D. K. SPACHT, county Judge. (SEAL.) June 21.

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Application for Druggist's Permit.

Notice is hereby given that H. H. Funk has filed his petition with the board of village trustees of the village of Hemingford, Nebraska, for a permit to sell, dispense and vitriol liquors for medicinal purposes on lot 2, block 19, in the village of Hemingford, Neb., for the ensuing year.

H. H. FUNK, Applicant. Filed July 1.

Notice of Dissolution

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Snyder & Hartson, composed of J. A. Snyder and J. F. Hartson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. A. Snyder retiring, J. F. Hartson assumes all debts owing and all accounts are payable to him.

J. F. HARTSON, J. A. SNYDER. Dated June 25, 1904.

Notice to Creditors

In county Court, within and for Box Butte county, Nebraska, July 1, 1904, in the matter of the estate of John S. Hughes deceased. To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified, that I will sit at the County Court Room in Alliance, in said county, on the 19th day of December, 1904, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is six months, from the 11th day of June, A. D. 1904, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 11th day of June, 1904. Witness my hand and the seal of said county court, this 1st day of July, 1904.